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**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED  
EXAMINING GROUP 2193**

**PATENT**

Customer No. 22,852

Attorney Docket No. 06502.0373-00

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Guy L. STEELE, Jr.	)	Group Art Unit: 2193
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Application No.: 10/035,586	)	Examiner: Mai, Tan V.
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Filed: December 28, 2001	)	Confirmation No.: 2878
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For: COMPARATOR UNIT FOR	)	<b>Mail Stop AF</b>
COMPARING VALUES OF	)	
FLOATING POINT OPERANDS	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

In reply to the final Office Action mailed May 31, 2005, the period for response to which extends through August 31, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application in view of the following remarks.

**Remarks** begin on page 2.